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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION**

Applicant : Todd et al.  
App. No : 10/623,482  
Filed : July 18, 2003  
For : METHOD TO FORM ULTRA HIGH  
QUALITY SILICON-CONTAINING  
COMPOUND LAYERS  
Examiner : Ron Everett Pompey  
Art Unit : 2812

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

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May 3, 2006

(Date)

Zi Y. Wong, Reg. No. 58,410

**Mail Stop RCE**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being made as follows:

1. Submission Required under 37 CFR 1.114:

(X) Enclosed:

(X) **Comments Accompanying Request for Continued Examination and Request for Withdrawal of Finality and Refund of Fees, in 13 pages.**

(X) Return Postcard.

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01 FC:1801  
02 FC:1253

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2. Fees:

FEE CALCULATION				
FEE TYPE		FEE CODE	CALCULATION	TOTAL
RCE Fee		1801 (\$790)		\$790
Suspension of Action		1463 (\$130)		\$*
Total Claims	40 - 42 = 0	1202 (\$50)	* x 50 =	\$0
Independent Claims	2 - 3 = 0	1201 (\$200)	* x 200 =	\$0
Multiple Claim		1203 (\$360)		\$*
1 Month Extension		1251 (\$120)		\$*
2 Month Extension		1252 (\$450)		\$*
3 Month Extension		1253 (\$1,020)		\$1020
			<b>TOTAL FEE DUE</b>	<b>\$1810</b>

(X) An extension of time is hereby requested by payment of the appropriate fee indicated above.

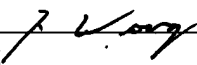
3. Payment:

(X) Check in the amount of \$1,810 to cover the above fees.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1410.

Respectfully submitted,  
KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP

Dated: May 3, 2006

  
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